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FM AMEMBASSY LOME

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6657

INFO AMEMBASSY ACCRA

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AMEMBASSY NIAMEY

AMEMBASSY OUAGADOUGOU

AMEMBASSY PARIS

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ACCRA FOR AMB DICKINSON

E.O. 11562: N/A

TAGS: TO, PGOV

SUBJ: GOT MINISTERIAL CHANGES

1. FIRST GOT MINISTERIAL CHANGES SINCE JAN 1971 ANNOUNCED OVER
RADIO TOGO NOONDAY NEWSCAST 21 AUGUST AS FOLLOWS:

EX MINISTER FINANCE JEAN TEVI - MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

JOSEPH BAGNAH - MINISTER OF INTERIOR

EDUARD KODJO - MINISTER OF FINANCE AND ECONOMY

FOFANA SAIBOU DERMAN - MINISTER OF RURAL ECONOMY

MICHEL EKLO - SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INFORMATION, PRESS,
RADIO, TV

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HENRI DOGO - SECRETARY OF STATE FOR PLAN

2. LOUIS AMEGA (RURAL ECONOMY); FREDERIC DERMANE ALI (INFORMATION);
BARTHELEMY LAMBONY (INTERIOR); LAURENT GABA (SECSTATE PTT)
DROPPED FROM CABINET.

3. NANAMALE GBEBENI REMAINS MINISTER FONCTION PUBLIC AND LABOR
BUT RESPONSIBILITY FOR SOCIAL AFFIARS TRANSFERRED TO MINISTRY
HEALTH UNDER ALIDOU DJAFALO. PLAN SEPARATED FROM COMMERCE AND
INDUSTRY WHICH BECOMES FULL-FLEDGED MINISTRY. DOGO RETAINS
POSITION AS SECSTATE IN PRESIDENCY WITH RESPONSIBILITY FOR
PLAN ONLY. SECSTATE PTT ABOLISHED AND DIRECT SUPERVISION
TELECOMMUNICATIONS RESTORED TO MIN PUBLIC WORKS.

4. NEWCOMERS TO CABINET ARE: BAGNAH, DIRECTOR OPAT (PRODUCE
MARKETING AGENCY) SINCE 1971; FOFANA DERMAN, CHEF CIR KANDE
AND FORMER ENGINEER IN MIN RURAL ECONOMY; EKLO, RPT ADMIN
SECRETARY AND FORMER GOT PERMREP TO UN; DODJO, SEC GEN MINISTRY
FINANCE AND ECONOMY AND DIRECTOR NATIONAL INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

5. OTHER MINISTERS UNCHANGED. WEISLOGEL

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